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POLITICAL

OPINION.

Both Parties Should Make Some Concessions.

Is The Political Opinion of Our Brandenburg Correspondent.

WITH SENATOR BLACKBURN ON THE VIVA VOCE VOTING METHOD.

The gold Democrats will nominate a national gold Democratic ticket unless the Kansas City convention fails to make certain concessions. Let both sides make some concessions and thus get together.

If Democrats say (and they all profess it) that Hannan and McKinleyism make it impossible for them to support the Republican ticket, why don't they quit nibbling and get together. They will not do it but still fight more bitterly in their own party than they do the other ticket. Yes I know free silver will not be a prominent issue again and there's where concession will come up missing.

Senator-elect, J. C. S. Blackburn likes to talk. We all know he comes from a loquacious family. It is a pity he hasn't always talked consistently. He is in Louisville this week as an ex-confederate and is still a "come ye in peace or come ye in war" man. The Senator is anxious to get Kentucky back where she belongs. He knows, we all know, where she should belong, in Democratic ranks by about four thousand strong. Dissension in the party makes her a doubtful state which is not as Mr. Blackburn says, very complimentary. He says the doors of the party are swung open for the return of all Democrats. Thank you Mr. Blackburn, you are very kind if they come back your way. And then you so considerably say, "I would like to see none except those who were conspicuously for Bryan and the platform in 1896 sent as delegates to our State Convention." You need have no fear; I don't think you will be bothered by Jeffersonian Democrats but will have the same populists, bloated silver Republican that formed the aggregation of '96. Where are your concessions? Let the man and the platform of '96 go if you really want to get together and choose a man and build a platform that all Democrats can stand upon.

I am with the Senator on the Viva Voce voting as the best method of preventing fraud, and with him again in favor of the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people and I am with him heart, body and soul when he said that the Democratic party is composed of the best element of society in the state and that it is capable of giving the best form of administration. Yes, but why has it degenerated so? Why didn't such men and such Kentuckians as he and Lindsay and Buckner and Knott and Brown stand together and keep it in power? Platforms made by outsiders (or assisted) split them. I am glad he wants the Goebele election law amended. Election laws cannot be perfect and must and should be amended. Senator Blackburn would be all right if he were not a partisan. If he admits and feels that the restoration of the Democratic party is important, why don't he advise the principal important concession. He knows what it is. If I were for woman suffrage I'd make speeches to get him right.

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Church Dedication.
The Cumberland Presbyterian church at Irvington will be dedicated Sunday June 3rd. Reverend Williams of Louisville will conduct the services. No collections will be taken and dinner will be served on the grounds. Every body is invited to come.

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BATTLE ON.

The Republicans Find Consolation in Defeat and Renew the War.

NOT ALONE IN THEIR FIGHT.

BATTLETOWNS, Ky., May 28th.—(Special).—What a sweet consolation it is for the grand old Republican party to know that there are so many loyal, State loving and flag honoring Democrats who have refrained from lowering themselves to the level of those who have tried to assassinate the noble manhood and character of Kentucky and who by their treachery have sunk their beloved State into shame and disgrace.

Such noble Democrats as R. W. Knott, editor of the Louisville Evening Post, Breckenridge, Sweeney, Yost, Stuart and many other distinguished Democrats know and have demonstrated that the Republicans have been defrauded. Every Republican should rejoice in the fact that we are not alone in this "holy war for liberty"; we can say and prove that we have the brains of the Democratic party on our side.

When a political party sinks into degradation then can we see more clearly its three characters. We must not condemn the whole Democratic party for the faction of it which has deprived us of our liberty and disgraced our State. Well did Governor Bradley say "Hell is not half hot enough for such people." They surely will rue the day when they committed the vile depredations they did.

Let us encourage every Republican to battle on. It is only a matter of a few months until our party shall know one of the greatest and grandest triumphs. "Behind the clouds the sun is still shining." The light of liberty that is now hidden in old Kentucky will yet shine with such a power of condemnation upon our foes that there will be no escape for them.

Let us toll and pray for the redemption of our State liberty. The degradation that our party suffers cannot last if these states remain in union. We will come out more than conquerors. Now let us not forget the faithful Democrats who stand aloof from their party and let us be ready to fight the battle this fall and win by a 20,000 majority of which we will never again be defrauded.

M. F. BENNETT.

"After suffering from piles for fifteen years I was cured by using two boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve," writes W. J. Baxter, North Brook, N. C. It heals everything. Beware of counterfeits.—A. R. Fisher.

An American Dinner Party.
Here is Clement Scott's picture of an American dinner party: "You are no sooner seated at the reception room than you feel at home in half a second. Conversation is general and animated. Your hostess is genial, gracious and an artist in the difficult ceremony of introduction. The room and the atmosphere beam with friendliness. Introduced to your dinner companion, who is determined that you and your partner shall be friends at once. You have not to make conversation. She makes it for you. If you know anything, she will drag it out of you in double quick time, and you have some difficulty in holding your own against her readiness, wit and sly cynicism. She can discuss everything and knows something about all she discusses, but without pedantry or affectation. She has the art of appearing to like you and be interested in you whether she is or not. This may be humbug, but it is delightful humbug all the same."

"The elements of flirtation are never to be despised by man or woman of any age. This social art is generally ignored in England, and that is why American women are so supremely popular. And what is the consequence? You go home from a dinner party in England tired and bored to death or wander off to your club to try to forget it all. You go home from an American dinner party exhilarated, a little proud of yourself and saying sincerely, 'It has been a jolly and delightful evening.' At least that is what I have felt whenever I have been honored with an invitation in New York."—San Francisco Argonaut.

Resumes Business Saturday.
The butcher shop of Chas. Lishen, which has been closed on account of illness in his family for a month or more, will be opened Saturday morning for business.

He desires to say to the public that he will carry the best meats at all times and extends a cordial welcome to all of his old patrons to his place of business and they are assured of the same courteous treatment as in the past.

ORE ABUNDANT.

Beauty and Grandeur Abound On The Western Slope.

A MEADE COUNTY BOY'S TRIP AND EXPERIENCE.

Seattle, Wash., May 18, 1900. BRECKENRIDGE NEWS.—I send you a brief account of my trip West and the advantages of the West.

I started from Louisville on the Mon-on Route Saturday May 12, at 7:35 a. m. arrived at Chicago at 6 p. m., and was transferred to the North Western line; from thence to St. Paul and the North Pacific to Seattle, Wash. I would advise tourists coming here to come on this route.

The scenery is the most magnificent and picturesque in America, coming through the Metropolis of the North, the pine forests, the Great Plains, the mountains and the varied scenery of the North and West.

The trip was a very enjoyable one to all on board the train judging from the many shouts of laughter heard. The air was cool and bracing and the varied landscape, clothed in garments of green, was a feast to the lovers of nature and seemed to speak out in praise to Him who created all things.

If our perception of things were not so dim, we might be able to see more of beauty and grandeur in the things around us for which we could praise our Maker and be more thankful for what he has blessed us with.

How vast are the rich resources of our country; how rapidly it is being developed and how much remains to be developed in the next generation! No one need say I have nothing to do when there is more to be done than the multiplied millions can do in the next century. God has given us the greatest country the world ever saw in the greatest age. The vast fields for agriculture and the earth full of all kinds of minerals are beyond comprehension and computation. What we are and what we shall be as a nation remains yet to be told.

Our western country, and especially the coast so long thinly settled, is soon to come to the front in population, wealth and industry. It comes nearer having everything for man's comfort than the East. It has a better climate, a better market, better timber, it is better for fruit, and better for agriculture and stock raising as grass is abundant and the time for winter feeding is but short. All these advantages will rapidly develop this Pacific coast.

There are still other things that will in the near future add to her wealth and progress. First I will mention the Nicaragua Canal which we expect in a few years to have completed. This will connect the East with the West and no doubt bring about a rapid progress. Second, the gold fields of Alaska, with its wealth yet to be developed, will no doubt bring about a rapid progress in furnishing a fine market for produce. As they produce nothing but minerals, they will depend upon the coast towns for supplies.

In view of all these things I would say to my friends of Kentucky, now is the time to go West and you cannot do better in any section than in Washington, unless it be in the Alaskan Gold Fields, and then it would be advisable to come here to winter.

Seattle is on a boom and wages are more than twice as much as in Breckenridge county.

J. J. HAYNES.

Science has found that rheumatism is caused by uric acid in the blood. This poison should be excreted by the kidneys. No rheumatism with healthy kidneys. Foley's Kidney Cure always makes them well.—Moorman & Owen.

Birthday Party.
Mrs. R. N. Hudson celebrated the sixth birthday of her little daughter, Virginia Cary, Monday afternoon, May 28th, from four to six o'clock.

The following little folks were present to enjoy the birthday cake and the merry games: Misses Lucile LaNeave, Eloise Nolte, Donald Murray, Elizabeth Skillman, Margaret Sherman, Virginia Cary Hudson, Master John Burks, Jr. Frank and Randall Weatherholt.

Interesting Program.
The W. O. T. U. meets next Monday night at the Baptist church. In connection with this meeting there will be a song by several little girls and other interesting features on the program. All are invited.

ELEGANT AFFAIR.

The A. O. U. W. Lodge Did Itself Proud In The Way Of A Sumptuous Spread and Hospitality Extended to Visiting Friends.

Prominent Members From A Distance Were In Attendance.

FULLY 500 PEOPLE WERE PRESENT.

The supper given by the A. O. U. W. lodge of this city Tuesday night, May 22nd was one of the most delightful affairs ever given by that hospitable order. The entire upper floor of the Bowmer Building was thrown open and neither trouble nor expense was spared to entertain the guests.

The Hawesville colored band, which has become very popular here, added much to the occasion and afforded opportunity for the dancers to enjoy the giddy whirl.

A beautiful supper was served in the front room. The menu was complete and if guest or member left the table unsatisfied it was not the fault of the attentive lodge members who were doing duty as waiters.

The A. O. U. W. lodge at this place is of comparative recent date but its growth has been rapid. At the last meeting there were several additions, making the list of members now number 122. This is one of the most popular and progressive orders in the city and its lodge room is comfortably and tastefully furnished.

The wives and children of these lodge men were well represented at the supper Tuesday night and they with the guests spent an enjoyable evening.

Those present from a distance were E. T. Meeks and Thomas D. Osborne, Louisville, John A. Lyne, of the Henderson Gleaner, Henderson, and T. D. Neal, Grand Master of the A. O. U. W. lodge at Indianapolis.

PROGRAM.

The Commencement Exercises of The Breckenridge Normal, June The 5th to 8th, Have Been Arranged.

PROGRAM.—
Tuesday night, June 5th.—Essay and Recitation contest.

Wednesday night, June 6th.—Dramatic Entertainment. A tragedy entitled "Stub" will be presented by the college Dramatic Club.

Thursday night, June 7th.—Oratorical contest.

Friday, June 8th.—Commencement. Medals will be given to the winners of all the contests.

Prof. D. S. Roberts will give a gold medal to the winners of the Essay and Oratorical contest.

Mr. Sherman Ball will give a gold medal to the winner of the recitation contest.

Dr. Arthur Walker will give a gold medal to the students who make the highest grade in six common school branches, to be decided by a competitive examination.

Mr. Sam Pate will give a gold pen to the one who makes the greatest improvement in penmanship.

Music will be furnished for the exercises by the college choir and will be under the management of Miss Kate Eskridge.

All are cordially invited to attend. There will be no charge for admittance except on Wednesday night to the dramatic entertainment, and then the proceeds will be for the benefit of the college library.

These commencement exercises will close the most successful year in the history of the Breckenridge Normal college. The number of students this year far surpasses any previous year. And what is of far more importance, the work done by the college this year is much better than in former years. In fact it is exceeded by no college of its class in the state.

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NEWSY NOTES.

Congress will adjourn Wednesday, June 6th.

A burglar dressed as a woman frightened a Winchester woman last week.

The amount of the embezzlement of F. W. Neely in Cuba has reached \$400,000.

\$223,000 has been assured the confederate veterans for their confederate memorial.

The Northern Methodist Church has done away with the time limit of the itinerancy.

The latest lodge on record is the Ancient Order of United Knights and Daughters of Africa.

The Kentucky Gazette, the first paper printed in Kentucky, began to be issued at Lexington in 1787.

Rural mail delivery is growing so popular that it is believed the small post offices will in time be done away with.

There are four million women in the United States who earn their own living and only three thousand of this number are authors.

The State of Massachusetts spends a half million dollars a year in road building and boasts of over two hundred miles of permanent highways built in less than five years.

Florida, Georgia, South Carolina, and Virginia have made Jefferson Davis's birthday, June 3, a legal holiday, and ex-Confederates wish the other Southern States to take similar action.

The Reichstag adopted the Meat Bill by a vote of 163 to 123. It prohibits the importation of canned or sausage meat and regulates until December 31, 1903, the importation of fresh meats.

Oleomargarine, according to data sent to Congress by Secretary Gage, is 32 per cent lard, with less than 1 per cent of genuine butter. Yet \$3,000,000 pounds of the compound were sold last year.

The citizens of Corydon have given a bonus of \$2000 cash and a site for a wagon manufactory. The manufactory will turn out 5,000 vehicles a year and will give employment to a large force of hands.

In a recent case of pneumonia 8,500 gallons of oxygen gas was used, the sick man was packed in ice, an alcohol bath was given every twenty-five minutes, and four quarts of milk with three quarts of whiskey were administered daily. The Brooklyn paper that tells this story says the patient recovered.

The estate of the late George M. Pallman of Chicago, which was valued at about \$8,000,000 when his will was filed for probate, has increased, it is said, to nearly or quite \$15,000,000 under the management of the executors, Robert Todd Lincoln and Norman B. Ream. Their compensation for handling the estate, it is estimated, will exceed half a million dollars.

The easiest and most effective method of purifying the blood and invigorating the system is to take DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for cleansing the liver and bowels.—A. R. Fisher.

FARM AND STOCK.

Early shearing gives more and better wool.

R. B. Parks, of Elizabethtown, sold four horses last week for \$700.

Save the soot at stove cleaning time to mix with the potting soil for flowers.

From all over the country come reports of general revivals in the horse breeding industry.

Two percent is the proportion of pure butter in the make-up of oleo, as shown in congress the past week.

Thos. Marshall, of Younger's Creek, recently sold to an Irvington party a bunch of steers at \$4.75 per cwt.

The horses in Daviess county are suffering from a strange disease. Several horses in the Knoxville section have died of it.

To prevent mites and disease have the henberry cleaned often, and soak the

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Sorghum as a crop for pasturage and winter feeding is fast gaining popularity. Its superior feeding value together with its drought resisting qualities make it an ideal forage plant for summer and fall pasturing.

The International Live Stock Exposition to be held at Chicago next December, will be the most complete ever held in this country and will be greater in scope and character than that held annually at Smithfield, England.

A strange disease has struck horses, mules and cattle in the Straight Creek section of Bell county. A number of post-mortem examinations have been held, and in every instance it was found that the intestines were almost entirely eaten away.

In Webster county farmers are in despair waiting for a planting season; plants are small and nothing can be done about setting before June, consequently some farmers have already planted a part of their land allotted to tobacco in corn and other crops.

Well to do farmers of Meade county are much alarmed over the appearance of the Hessian fly, saying the insect is destroying nearly all of the wheat crops in their county. All of the other crops are doing well and the indications are encouraging for a prosperous year.

Hardin Co.—Corn is coming up nicely. It is a big acreage, as many old clover fields were plowed up. Wheat is very good. Oats are doing well. Young clover is a good stand. Meadows good. No hog cholera. Few hogs being fed. Some pink-eyes among horses. Fine prospect for fruits.

American mutton will not compete with English successfully unless we use roots. Pure water and salt in which is mixed one-fifth bulk of wood ashes should be constantly before the lambs. The large, juicy mutton lamb free from lubb, is in demand for export trade at long prices, and wool is booming—Ohio Farmer.

At the April meeting of the Kentucky Swine Breeders' Association a resolution was passed directing the Executive Committee to ask for a meeting of breeders of all kinds of live stock to confer upon the advisability of organizing a general live stock association for the State, which should embrace all classes of stock—that

is, horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, jackstock, etc. The committee decided that the best time for such a conference would be Friday, June 1st, at 3 o'clock p. m. This will be the third day of the Confederate Reunion at Louisville, and cheap railroad rates can be had. The place selected for the meeting is the Farmers' Home Journal office, 514 Third street.

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SERIOUS ACCIDENT

George W. Foreman of Louisville Had Three Toes Amputated.

Hardinsburg, Ky., (Special).—One of the most serious accidents that has occurred here for some time happened last Thursday to Mr. George W. Foreman, of Louisville. Mr. Foreman is in the employ of the J. J. Case Threshing machine company, and was sent here to get a threshing machine and ship it back to Louisville. While he was descending the creek hill close to town, the machine became unmanageable. Foreman's foot caught in the gears and was badly mangled. Drs. Kincheloe and Board were called and three of his toes had to be amputated.

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